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**AMENDMENT** 

SIR:

Applicants hereby request a 3-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of June 6, 2002. A check in the amount of \$920.00 in payment of the government fee for a 3-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

In response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

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